

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	:	METHOD FOR SHAPING A METALLIC
	:	FLAT MATERIAL, METHOD FOR THE
Herbert Faehrrolfes et al.	:	MANUFACTURE OF A COMPOSITE
	:	MATERIAL AND DEVICES FOR
	:	PERFORMING THESE METHODS
Serial No.: 10/518,892	:	
	:	Examiner: John C. Hong
Filed: June 22, 2005	:	
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219  
January 13, 2009

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on November 24, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this Response.